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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Laurent PAQUET

Group Art Unit:

Serial No.:

09/486,790

Examiner:

Tran N. NGUYEN

Filed:

June 26, 2000

For:

MOTOR VEHICLE ALTERNATOR WITH WINDING

ISOLATED FROM THE HOUSING

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application in response to the Office Action of March 22, 2002 as follows:

## **IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please AMEND the specification as follows:

On page 1, please delete the SECOND full paragraph beginning "A vehicle alternator is known . . . . " and substitute therefore:



A vehicle alternator is known that comprises a case, a stator winding, and a solidified electrically-insulating varnish impregnating the end turns and the twisted leads of the winding so as to insulate them electrically from the adjacent case and so as to reinforce their mechanical strength. The neutral points of the winding are insulated in the same manner. Nevertheless, when subjected to the vibration due to operation, there is a major risk of the varnish being abraded and



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AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

for Patents
C 20231

The above identified application.

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:  $\bowtie$ 

## **CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

|                           | Claims<br>Remaining<br>After<br>Amendment | Highest No.<br>Covered by<br>Previous<br>Payments  | Extra | Rate             | Additional<br>Fee |  |
|---------------------------|---|--|-------|------------------|-------------------|--|
| Total Claims*             | 28 -                                      | 20   | 8     | \$18.00/ \$9.00  | \$ 144.00         |  |
| Independent<br>Claims     | 3 -                                       | 3  | 0     | \$84.00/ \$42.00 | \$ 0.00           |  |
| Multiple Dependent Claims | Claim(s) and the application bef          | ms added by amendment include Multiple Dependent (s) and there was no Multiple Dependent Claim(s) in ation before amendment add \$280.00 to additional fee 00 for small entity). |       |                  |                   |  |
|                           |   |  |       | TOTAL            | \$ 144.00         |  |

<sup>\*</sup>Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to in multiple dependent claims. See 37 C.F.R. §1.75(c).

| Small entity status is or has been claimed.              |
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| <br>Reduced Fees Under 37 C.F.R. §1.9(f) paid herewith § |

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|             |   | Respectfully submitted,<br>MORGAN & FINNEGAN, L.L.P. |  |  |  |
| Dated:      | By:   | Matthew K. Blackburn<br>Registration No. 47,428      |  |  |  |
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 C.F.R. §1.8(a))

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

I hereby certify that the attached:

- 1. Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 (12 pages);
- 2. Amendment Fee Transmittal (2 pages);
- 3. Amendment Fee (check for \$144.00);
- 4. Return Postcard

along with any paper(s) referred to as being attached or enclosed and this Certificate of Mailing are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on date shown below with sufficient postage as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to the: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

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